

What is claimed is:

1. A vehicle airbag arrestor mountable about a vehicle steering column carrying a steering wheel containing an inflatable airbag, the airbag arrestor comprising:
- an enclosure having an open end and a closed end, the enclosure adapted to be mountable over a vehicle steering wheel and vehicle steering column, with the closed end adjacent a vehicle steering wheel; and
 - an attachment member, mountable about the enclosure, and adapted to substantially non-axially, movably mount the enclosure over the steering wheel and the steering column of a vehicle.
2. The airbag arrestor of claim 1 wherein the attachment member comprises:
- a strap disposed about the enclosure; and
 - a connector carried on the strap for receiving a free end of the strap to releaseably tighten the strap and the enclosure about a vehicle steering column.
3. The airbag arrestor of claim 2 wherein:
- the strap is movably mounted on the enclosure.
4. The airbag arrestor of claim 2 wherein the connector comprises:
- a latch movable to and from a first position engaged with the strap; and
 - a biasing member acting on the latch to bias the latch to the first position.
5. The airbag arrestor of claim 4 wherein the connector further comprises:
- a body carrying the latch and the biasing member.

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1 7. The airbag arrestor of claim 2 wherein:
2 the strap and the connector are arranged for one hand mounting and
3 releasing operation.

1 9. The airbag arrestor of claim 1 wherein:
2 the enclosure is formed of a flexible, ballistic material.

1 11. The airbag arrestor of claim 9 wherein the attachment member
2 comprises:
3 a tightenable strap disposed about the enclosure, the strap formed of a
4 flexible, ballistic material.

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1 14. The airbag arrestor of claim 13 wherein:
2 the strap is formed of a flexible, ballistic grade NYLON.

1 15. The airbag arrestor of claim 1 wherein:
2 the attachment member is arranged on the enclosure for one-hand
3 mounting and releasing of the enclosure with respect to the vehicle steering column.

1 16. The airbag arrestor of claim 1 further comprising:
2 the enclosure and the attachment member formed of a flexible, ballistic
3 grade material.

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